

The Social World.

ONE THING AND ANOTHER WHICH SOCIETY PEOPLE LIKE TO TALK ABOUT.

THE number of people who are met at the Montana increases from day to day, and one pleasant feature of the situation is that the proportion of ladies among the permanent guests of the hotel is gradually growing greater. One evening of last week found a notable company of representative men at the hotel, and the company of ladies at the hotel is gradually growing greater. One evening of last week found a notable company of representative men at the hotel, and the company of ladies at the hotel is gradually growing greater.

Twenty-one ladies living in this city will take part in the drama entitled "The Queen of Fame," which will be presented at Evans' hall next Thursday evening, under the direction of Miss Harriet Harris. The drama has been in rehearsal for some time and careful preparation has been made for its successful rendering. It will be an interesting performance and a large part of the proceeds will be given to St. Mark's church. The cast for the evening is as follows: *The Goddess*, Mrs. Kirby; *Hypatia*, Miss Waterbury; *Harriet Beecher Stowe*, Mrs. Smith; *Joseph Allen's Wife*, Mrs. Matthews; *Queen Elizabeth*, Mrs. Mahan; *Alice Carey*, Miss McCall; *Ruth*, Mrs. Dawson; *Jennie Lind*, Miss Redmond; *Sister of Charity*, Miss Blair; *Joan of Arc*, Mrs. Hardenbrook; *Christine Nilson*, Miss Gleason; *Sappho*, Miss Wisner; *Grace Darling*, Mrs. Chase; *Annie Louise Carey*, Mrs. Berry; *Isabella of Spain*, Miss McDonald; *Miriam*, Miss Hall; *Mrs. Partridge*, Miss Mary of Scotland; *Mrs. Dawson*, Miss Alice Blair; *Barbara Fritchie*, Mrs. Hardenbrook; *Parepa Rosa*, Mrs. Strickland.

H. F. Mahan was in Butte early last week.

Mrs. D. Cohen is ill at her house on Oak street.

Grace Loece is suffering from an attack of rheumatism.

J. C. Keppler made a trip to Butte and Helena last week.

R. M. Greig made several trips to Butte during the week.

E. Dubruel is on the sick list and confined to his room.

P. J. Brophy of Butte dined at the Montana last Thursday.

Mr. Hawkes of Cable was in town Thursday and Friday.

Yesterday Mrs. W. T. O'Connell returned to her home in Missoula.

Mrs. Frank Geiger came from Helena Thursday to remain in Anaconda.

W. J. Matthews returned Thursday evening from a trip through Washington.

Dr. N. S. Snyder with his son Ennis and nurse, has taken rooms at the Montana.

L. W. Kaizenstein expects to return to Anaconda this week, to reside here permanently.

Mrs. C. C. Rueger and her daughter Emma will visit Mrs. W. W. Turney early this week.

Messdames W. H. Burns and G. B. Winston went to Butte on Tuesday on a shopping expedition.

Arthur Jones passed three days with his sister, Mrs. F. F. Strickfaden, returning on Friday to Bozeman.

Mrs. C. H. Tracy is preparing to visit her daughter Daisy, and her mother, Mrs. Magart, in Iowa.

Mrs. A. Jones will arrive in Anaconda on Monday, to pass several weeks as the guest of Mrs. F. F. Strickfaden.

J. K. Mallory went to Idaho last Sunday. His business will keep him in that state until the 25th of this month.

Mrs. Murray Mills came to Anaconda last night to spend two or three weeks with her sister Mrs. Maxwell of this city.

What was the game of the evening last Tuesday when a number of congenial sports met in the parlors of the Montana.

To-morrow evening at 8 o'clock the marriage of Dennis Leary and Annie E. Long will be solemnized at St. Paul's church.

Dr. and Mrs. Endris of San Diego, Cal., have located in Anaconda. They have taken rooms in the St. Jean building on Park avenue.

One of the events of the past week was a Rainbow social given by the members of the Epworth league at the residence of D. A. Spraker.

John De Lury and his sister, who recently came from California to keep house for him, took dinner last Sunday with Mrs. A. M. Mallory.

Mrs. Adair of Patsburg, Pa., is on her way to Anaconda, and after reaching here will assist Dr. MacDonald in the performance of his office duties.

J. F. Kennedy, publisher of the *Heald Record* at Wallaceburg, Ontario, arrived in Anaconda yesterday. He will spend a month with his brother, J. M. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, who have been for some time at the hotel Commercial, will occupy a new residence on West Third street after the first of December.

E. E. Lyman, formerly of this city, who has been for some time residing in Butte, has returned to Anaconda, having accepted a position with MacCallum & Cloutier.

On Wednesday several ladies spent a delightful evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Kennedy. All played whilst until a late hour when refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. K. Hardenbrook of Deer Lodge, a cousin of Mrs. J. R. Toole, will come to this city next Thursday to take the parts of *Joan of Arc* and *Barbara Fritchie* in the "Queen of Fame."

Mrs. Dr. F. S. St. Jean, who has been visiting her parents in Montreal, is greatly improved in health and expects that she will soon be able to return to Anaconda accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Tranchmontagne.

The members of the Pansophical club thoroughly enjoyed themselves last Wednesday afternoon, when they met at the residence of Mrs. L. A. King. They will meet again next Wednesday with Mrs. Shelly Tuttle.

Last week Father De Siero administered the sacrament of baptism to two infants. The first, Maggie, the

daughter of John and Kate MacMillan, was baptized on Sunday afternoon. The second baptism, that of Martha Emmett Kelly, took place on Thursday.

It is rumored that a large skating club is to be organized this winter. It is thought that the lake at the park may be kept in fine condition for the sport and it is known that should the project be successfully carried out it will be one of the most enjoyable and health-giving features of the winter.

Mrs. C. W. Loomis and her children, Kate and Carl, who have been spending the summer and autumn on the Hudson, will return to Anaconda on Monday. Mrs. Loomis will also be accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. James A. Ring, who will pass a month in this city and spend the winter in California.

Last night a party composed of Messdames Smith, Dawson, Durston, Messes Surprenant, Hall, Barnes and Durston, Messes E. S. MacDonald, MacGinnis, Young, Gorman, Kunkle, LaSalle and D. J. Fitzgerald spent several hours skating on the pond near the upper works. Fine ice, bright moonlight and plenty of merriment made the evening all that could be desired.

The X L C. C. met with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burns at their residence on Friday evening. Progressive high five was the amusement of the occasion. D. J. Fitzgerald captured the prize for gentlemen, a tortoise shell ash dish; Mrs. Durston and Miss Durston being credited with the same number of games, drew cuts for the ladies' prize, a set of china bowls, which was awarded to Mrs. Durston. Mrs. L. G. Smith will entertain the club at its next meeting.

BUTTE'S SOCIAL LIFE.

Matters of Personal Mention Which the Past Week Suggests.

BUTTE, Nov. 14.—Those who are interested in the local dramatic club say that the new organization has an assured existence and that it will cut a figure in the world during the winter. The membership of the club grows and all who belong are getting ready for serious work. The operatic club is also to be heard from before long, so its active members announce. There is a perceptible increase in the amount of musical talent in Butte, both vocal and instrumental, most of those who are gifted in music are willing to help in organized movements like those which the club represents and creditable performances may be expected.

Mrs. W. I. Lippincott returned Tuesday from Missoula.

A. T. Colling will return from the East next Thursday.

Mrs. J. S. Shropshire was the guest of Deer Lodge friends Friday.

Thomas H. Dunstan and family returned from California Friday.

Robert T. Wing of Beaverhead county is in the city visiting old friends.

Miss Frankie Horst left Thursday for a visit with relatives in Great Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fred Wey returned from their eastern trip Wednesday.

Mrs. Estelle Egbert has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Salt Lake City.

Mrs. George F. Lyman left for Boise City Thursday and will return early in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Calderhead returned Wednesday from an extended trip in the East.

Hon. Joseph A. Brown of Beaverhead county was in the city a few hours Thursday.

There is some talk of producing an opera by home talent for the benefit of the high school library.

N. B. Ringeling and mother came over from Phillipsburg Wednesday, and returned home this morning.

C. H. Palmer and J. A. Coram left in a special car Friday for Boston. They will stop at Great Falls a few days.

Eugene Gordon has returned from Portland and has accepted a position with the firm of Courtney, Case & Gravelle.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Haldorn and son, Stewart, will leave for Chicago and Philadelphia about the 1st of December.

Judge and Mrs. W. I. Lippincott have returned to their former home in Excelsior park, which they will occupy during the winter.

C. O. Davidson has been spending the past week at Warm Springs, and will be joined to-morrow by Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Davidson.

Miss Tina Kelly will arrive in a few days from St. Paul to visit her sister, Mrs. E. W. S. Tingle, and will remain until the holidays.

Mrs. H. N. Barkely of White Sulphur Springs has been the guest of Mrs. John Gilhe the past week, and left Friday for Virginia City.

Mr. and Mrs. David Beek of Virginia City have moved to Butte, and are living in the H. S. Clark residence, corner Jackson and West Granite street.

Mrs. Geoffrey Lavelle, children and mother, Mrs. Tarbet, will leave to-morrow afternoon for San Francisco where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. C. S. Warren left Saturday in Superintendent Dickinson's private car for Tacoma, and will be the guest of Mrs. Dickinson until December 1.

Mrs. R. L. Gillespie and daughter, Miss Lucia, will return to-morrow from Portland, Ore., where they have been visiting relatives the past six weeks.

Miss Carrie Jacobs left for Helena this morning. Miss Jacobs will be maid of honor at the wedding of Miss Mattie Marks next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. W. Gunn and son Winfield, the Butte Root valley to-morrow morning, to remain there during the winter.

Mrs. Tom Lavelle has a choice line of millinery on sale at her residence, corner Idaho and Park streets, which Madame Coc has sent out from Minneapolis.

The Homer club will meet with Mrs. David C. Porter on West Granite street Monday afternoon. Mrs. Rockwood and Miss Nettie Strasburger will be the readers.

Miss Mary C. Howell and Harry C. Gray were married at the Congregational church Thursday evening and are receiving the congratulations of their friends.

Miss Howell is the sister of Rev. E. B. Howell and of Mrs. Dr. Holyoke, and is well-known in Butte, where she has many friends. Mr. Gray is a popular Northern Pacific railroad conductor.

Mrs. Julius L. Wy, Mrs. Sam Lewis and Messrs. D. J. Donohue, Perrin, Irvine, Moses Cohen and Alex. Niedenhofen will attend the Mark-Lobbe wedding in Philadelphia for a time.

Letters have been received by friends from Mrs. S. M. Caspar, stating that Mr. Caspar would return to Butte in a few days, while Mrs. Caspar will go to Philadelphia for a time.

The ladies of St. John's guild will give a social in the basement of the church Friday evening, Nov. 20. Fancy bags of all kinds will be placed on sale, including stockings, party and shopping bags. All the articles are of handsome material and are suitable for Christmas presents. Refreshments will be served, consisting of ice cream, cake and hot coffee. A reception committee will be on hand to receive and welcome strangers. The social is given for the purpose of raising money to purchase a new organ for the church. A series of concerts will follow, the proceeds of which will be applied to the same fund.

Many friends are extending their congratulations to John B. Wellcome and Miss Emma Irvine, whose engagement is announced and whose wedding will be celebrated before the new year comes. Mr. Wellcome is one of Butte's most prosperous young attorneys. The young lady whom he is to wed adds to rare personal charms the graces that are the crowning glory of young womanhood and the mental gifts which careful culture brings. So widely and so well beloved is Miss Irvine that words of compliment are superfluous. Her many friends, congratulating her, are the more gratified because her approaching marriage assures them that Butte is still to be her home.

Master Clarence Holmes entertained his little friends in a handsome manner this afternoon, the occasion being the ninth anniversary of his birth. About 40 of his playmates were present who heartily enjoyed the games and other amusements. Refreshments were served to which the children did full justice. The guests were: Harold and Mary Sands, Jessie and Carrie Wharton, Lula and Creighton Largey, Nellie Lloyd, Dimple Leavitt, Lula and Mabel Foster, May Hamilton, Mildred Bayless, Charlie and Cherrie Eltinge, Emma Bush, Mose and Ruth Kirt, Patrick, Nelson and Bennie Hammond, Roger Lane, Charlotte and Theodore Russell, Bennie and Edna Tibbey, Marie Curran, Helen Tilton, Martha Hendrickson, Midge Reiter, Katie, Nellie and Nat Boswick, Gordon Hawes, Harry Talent, Bertie, Florence, Bessie and Freddie Hammer, Eugene Lavelle, Virginia Alexander, Wallace and Ralston McCracken and Charlie Brotherton.

MISSOULA SOCIETY.

Doings in Garden City Social Circles the Past Week.

Special to the Standard.

MISSOULA, Nov. 14.—When the Sons of the Mystic Tie organized a mosque here a few months ago, the field appeared to be already full of secret societies. The order, however, has met with wonderful success in Missoula and now has over 100 members. On Tuesday evening they had a banquet at the European hotel, at which about 60 members were present. Mrs. Mix had made every preparation for the event, and it proved a most pleasurable one. The spread was fine, the wine was plentiful and the guests were in the best of spirits. After dinner speeches were made by a number of the members, an essay on the order was delivered by Hon. Frank G. Higgins, an original poem was recited by Charles Soleday, some excellent banjo music was furnished by George C. Higgins, and everybody went home happy.

On Monday evening Mrs. Postelle and Miss Burke entertained a number of friends at the residence of County Auditor Will Cave. The evening was very pleasantly spent pulling candy and playing whist and eucere. About 25 guests were present.

On Sunday afternoon Judge and Mrs. J. M. Evans entertained a small party of relatives and friends at their pleasant home on the south side. The occasion was the christening of their infant son, Beverly Price Evans, and their niece, Mary Alice McMurphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMurphy of Deer Lodge. Rev. Charles H. Lewis baptized the children. The guests were: Hon. Frank C. Higgins and R. Lee McCulloch, godfathers of the little boy, Mr. Henry McMurphy, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lester and T. E. Evans.

On Tuesday evening the Young People's Society of the Baptist church served an oyster supper at Dr. Wagoner's dental parlors. About 100 people called during the evening and a financial and social success was the result.

Last night the Base Ball club gave a dance at the K. of P. hall. The attendance was large, as it deserved to be, as usual furnished excellent music and all who were present had a good time. A number of the ladies who are interested in the public library served refreshments in some of the adjoining rooms for the benefit of the library.

The ladies in charge of the Catholic fair are completing the arrangements for that occasion. The fair will be held in the Montana Commercial company's old store room on Main street. It is probable that Race will furnish the music. The ladies were negotiating for the Twenty-fifth Infantry band, but it was decided that the room was not large enough for such heavy music.

One of the leading social events will be the dancing party at Fort Missoula on Tuesday evening. A large number of invitations were received in the city and the party promises to be a large and very pleasurable one.

On Tuesday evening the fire department will meet to arrange for the grand ball to be given by them on Thanksgiving eve.

Mrs. W. C. Murphy entertained Mrs. Worden, Mrs. Fred T. Sterling and Mrs. Murray B. Miles at dinner at the Missoula on Thursday evening.

R. W. Kemp left for Demersville on Wednesday evening. On the same evening Mrs. Kemp left for the East to spend the winter.

Robert L. Chilton and his bride arrived from Demersville on Thursday evening on their wedding trip. Before returning home they will visit Butte and probably Salt Lake.

F. W. Hastings, the well-known express messenger running between Helena and Wallace, Idaho, will leave in

about six weeks for New Orleans to spend the winter with his mother. His sister, who is attending school in California, will join them.

Mrs. Judge Lippincott, who has been the guest of Mrs. Murray B. Miles, returned to her home in Butte on Wednesday.

George F. Stunard and T. T. McLeod came down from Demersville on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Clynick and Miss Clynick were in from Bonner Friday evening to attend the base ball club's dance.

Deputy United States Marshal F. R. Miles was in from the Flathead and Kootenai counties on Friday evening.

Capt. L. F. Wyman, deputy United States Internal Revenue collector, came over from Butte Friday evening.

Mrs. Thomas Orchard of Ogden, Utah, is the guest of Mrs. D. J. Whaley.

Dr. and Mrs. Parsons returned home on Tuesday after spending a few days very pleasantly at the Mills ranch at Lo Lo.

Early next week Lou Weatherhead will leave for Vermont to spend the winter at his old home.

Tylar B. Thompson spent Monday and Tuesday in Phillipsburg and Granite.

Mrs. A. L. Fox of Astoria, Ore., who has been visiting her parents, Captain and Mrs. Anderson of Carlton, left on Monday for her home.

Hon. W. B. Harlan of Como was in the city on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Buckley entertained the Unity Whist club on Wednesday evening.

Rev. J. J. McAllister of Stevensville spent Tuesday in the city.

Henry C. Stiff celebrated his 32nd birthday on Monday, when he and his wife entertained Judge and Mrs. Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. George B. Wilds at dinner.

Hon. A. S. Blake was down from Victor early in the week.

On Tuesday afternoon Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Lamont, Rev. D. and Mrs. Raleigh, Rev. W. C. Hale, Mrs. Brisben and Miss Ellen Wood went to Stevensville to attend the Missoula county Sunday school convention.

County Clerk Bogart, wife and child leave to-day for the East. Mr. Bogart will go to St. Paul and Mrs. Bogart with her little son will go to Galena, Ill., to spend the winter with her mother.

Howard Brayton was down from Stevensville on Tuesday.

C. P. Bird, telegraph operator at the Northern Pacific shops, left on Thursday afternoon for Indiana in answer to a message announcing the illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Eddy returned on Wednesday evening from New York for a short visit before going to California.

C. W. Van Horn was over from Helena early in the week.

Dr. Bilmeyer was called to Thompson Falls on Monday on professional business.

Rev. James Reid of Deer Lodge was here on Tuesday.

Assistant General Superintendent Dickinson of the Northern Pacific and Superintendent Ramsey of the Rocky Mountain division left for St. Paul on business last Sunday. Mr. Dickinson's family went home to Tacoma in his private car.

H. Sommers of Helena was here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Stanton of Smead were in the city on Tuesday.

James H. Hayes of the Garden City Bottling works expects to leave about Dec. 1 for a three months' visit to his parents in England.

Robert A. O'Hara of Hamilton was here Sunday.

On Wednesday night Rev. Father Cataldo, superior of the Rocky Mountain missions, Rev. Father Rehnman, superior of St. Ignace mission, and Rev. Father Van der Velden of the Cheyenne, Wyo., mission, were the guests of Rev. Fathers Diomed and Neale. Father Cataldo left for Fort Custer and Father Van der Velden for Miles City on Thursday.

Rev. E. J. Stanley of Corvallis was here on Monday.

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

Society News From the City of Deer Lodge.

DEER LODGE, Nov. 14.—Mrs. J. H. Owings and daughters, Vonnice and Marguerite, who have been visiting in Indiana for six weeks past, returned to Deer Lodge Saturday evening.

Mrs. Robert Fenner of Anaconda was in the city several days this week and was the guest of Mrs. M. Bien.

Thomas Brantley made a short business trip to Phillipsburg and Helena the first of the week.

John King of Butte spent Wednesday last with his mother at Deer Lodge.

Col. M. S. Parker of Champion was a visitor to Deer Lodge this week.

Miss Kate May Morgan gave a delightful party to a number of little friends Monday afternoon, in honor of her fourth birthday. Those who received invitations were: Sue, Eva and Ted Lrabie, Ninon Joslyn, Ora Miller, Elizabeth Davey, Gertrude Traphagen, Marion McDowell, Catherine and Grace Shanley, Lucy and Mamie Hyde, Georgie and Arthur Smurr, Gussie Valiton, Nellie Mills, Clarence Valiton, Bert Bishop, Sylvan Miller and North Stuart. The little folks had a good time and were sorry when the time came for them to go home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Butler and Irene of Beaumont returned Saturday from a six weeks' visit to relative in and near Indianapolis. They stopped off in Deer Lodge and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Williams.

Harry Neill, one of Helena's real estate men, was in Deer Lodge Saturday last.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Mitchell attended the reception given by the Fraternity of the Constitution, in Helena, Friday evening of last week.

Miss Bertha Shaw of Butte, a former student at the Montana college, was the guest of Misses Anna and Clara Bien several days this week.

An impromptu dancing party was given by the young men of Deer Lodge at Judge and Beaumont's hall Tuesday evening last. Traveling musicians who were stopping here for a few days were employed for the occasion, and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

George H. Casey of Butte was looking after business in Deer Lodge last Thursday.

C. E. Mooney spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week in Butte.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Larabee gave a dinner party on Saturday evening of last week, which was enjoyed by Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore

Brantley, Judge and Mrs. D. M. Durfee, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Mills, E. L. Bonner and wife and Miss Merriek.

Messrs. Ed Simpson, of the Silver Crown Mining company, and M. E. Pinney, of the Mineral Hill company, were in Deer Lodge last Monday.

C. Butler, brother of O. J. Butler of Beaumont, came out from Indiana last week and will make his home in Montana. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams several days this week.

Judge A. H. Barret of Butte, manager of the Combination Mining company at Black Pine, spent Sunday last in Deer Lodge.

Mr. Gillfillan, late president of the Granite Miners' union, has been employed by the Emery company and left for Z. sel this week.

John McCormick of Missoula was the guest of Hon. J. C. Robinson Wednesday this week.

Lee L. Vy of Champion spent Monday in Deer Lodge.

Miss Maggie Evans, president of the Society of Parsonage Aid, who went to Bx man last week for the purpose of organizing an aid society there, returned to Deer Lodge Wednesday.

Frank Kaiser of Gold Creek was a visitor in Deer Lodge Wednesday.

J. G. Steele, who has been Pioneer mining all summer, returned to Deer Lodge last week and will remain here during the winter.

William Coleman, who has been sick the past week, is out again.

Messrs. Allan and A. K. Kimmerly of Avon were in Deer Lodge several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bogk of Butte are in the city visiting their daughter, Mrs. N. J. Bielenberg.

Some of the young folks from Deer Lodge attended the dance given at W. M. Bracken's, a few miles north of town, on Friday evening of last week, and report a most enjoyable time.

Rev. Tabor was in Helena several days last week attending a protracted meeting of the Methodist church.

Peter Lansing and James Falkner visited Champion Monday of this week.

Mr. Thomas, of the Edison system of electric lights, was in the city Wednesday.

Miss Sophia Brent, one of the Deer Lodge girls who recently moved to Pioneer, was married to Mr. Kolbeck at Butte last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Patterson of Marshall, Mo., who recently visited Mrs. M. King at Deer Lodge, lost their little son Albert last week. He died of diphtheria at Savannah, Mo.

Shelby Irvine of Butte drove down to Deer Lodge last Monday and returned home the following day.

James Featherman of New Chicago was in the city this week.

Rev. James Reid visited Missoula last Tuesday.

Misses Maggie Hennessy and Lizzie Gaffney of Champion were guests of Miss Maggie Boyce at the St. Mary's academy Sunday last.

Rev. Mr. Seaton of Bozeman delivered an able address to the members of the State Christian convention Thursday evening at the Deer Lodge Christian church.

Prof. A. M. Ryon made a short business trip to Butte Sunday last.

Rev. Galen Wood and family are attending the State Christian association and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wood.

Mrs. J. F. Braxton spent several days this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Johnston, at Butte.

Mrs. E. Fisher is the guest of Mrs. W. Bennett during the session of the Montana Christian association.

G. L. Kading, for some time a resident of Deer Lodge, left last Saturday for Cross Plains, Wis.

Dr. William Ray of Phillipsburg was looking